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S/N 09/787,982

PATENT

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Applicant:	ULRICH	Examiner:	J. DEL SOLE
Serial No.:	09/787,982	Group Art Unit:	1722
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Title:	DEVICE FOR PRODUCING PLASTIC PIPES		

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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed on December 10, 2004, please enter the following amendments and remarks.

**Amendments to the Claims** are shown in the listing of claims beginning at page 2 of this document.

**Remarks** begin on page 4 of this document.